



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Group Art Unit: 2823
Examiner: George R. Fourson III

In Re PATENT APPLICATION Of:

Applicant(s) : Yasuo TANAKA)
Serial No. : 09/660,484)
Filed : September 12, 2000) **AMENDMENT AFTER
METHOD OF MANUFACTURING) ALLOWANCE
SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE)
Attorney Ref. : OKI 262)**

April 20, 2005

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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This Amendment is submitted in response to the Notice of Allowance dated March 10, 2005. It is respectfully requested that the allowed claims be amended as follows pursuant to 37 CFR §1.312.

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